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Applicant:	John WALTERS et al.	Conf.:	3079
Appl. No.:	09/319,438	Group:	1771
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For:	NON-WOVEN INORGANIC FIBER MAT (AS AMENDED)		

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Final Office Action dated December 19, 2003, and further to the Notice of Appeal filed June 21, 2004, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

**This Amendment includes:**

**Claim Set as Amended; and**

**Remarks.**